

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
HUMAN SERVICES  
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: February 21, 2001

Place: Room 116

Convened: 9:53 a.m.    Recessed:                      Reconvened: .                      Adjourned: 11:12 a.m.

Present:      Senators Veenstra-CH, Boettger-VC, Hammond-RM, Harper, Redwine  
Representatives Heaton-CH, Johnson-VC, Osterhaus-RM, Arnold, Foege,  
Greimann, Hoversten, Smith

Absent:      Houser

Excused:

Representative Heaton, Chair, called the meeting to order; roll call was taken; Senators Veenstra & Boettger moved for approval of the Minutes from the previous meeting, Senator Hammond seconded, and the Minutes were approved by voice vote.

**SPEAKERS:**

- Bob VanderPlaats, Opportunities Unlimited; Jackie Kibbie-Williams, Village Northwest; Linda Kellen, Opportunities Unlimited/Past President of Iowa Brain Injury Assoc.; and Ed Boll, Program Director, Iowa Brain Injury Assoc., re: brain injury and intensive/long-term care. Handouts<sup>1</sup>
- Cathy Anderson, DHS; Chris Knerr, Jyers & Stauffer; and Steve Atchison, Iowa Healthcare Assoc. re: nursing homes payment/ratio methodology (follow-up).

Senator Veenstra announced that there is no meeting scheduled tomorrow and that the Senate/House Committees should caucus individually and submit proposals. Future joint meeting(s) will be announced.

Representative Osterhaus moved to arise, and the meeting was adjourned.

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Dave Heaton, House Chair

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Jill Beni, House Chair Secretary

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<sup>1</sup> (a) Brain Injury Legislation; (b) Contrast in Service Needs: MR vs. TBI.